GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1148
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FUNDS FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds allocated/released and utilized under the Panchayati Raj system by the State/Union Territories, State-wise during the last three years;

(b) whether the State Government of Karnataka has demanded more fund;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR)

(a): The Ministry of Panchayati Raj was formed in May, 2004. In 2004-05, the Ministry had only one scheme of Panchayat Development and Training under which funds were released to the State Governments. During 2005-06 also funds were released to the States for training and capacity building of elected representatives and functionaries of Panchayati Raj Institutions. The details of funds released to the State Governments is enclosed at Annex. The process of utilization of the funds is continuing and utilization certificates/physical progress reports from the State Governments are yet to be fully received.

(b)&(c): The Government of Karnataka had requested for release of funds for satellite-based training of elected representatives and functionaries of Panchayati Raj Institutions during the year 2005-06.

(d): The Ministry of Panchayati Raj had sanctioned Rs. 3,63,95,250/- as Central grant to the Abdul Nazir Sab State Institute of Rural Development (ANSSIRD), Mysore, Karnataka and released Rs. 1,81,97,625/- towards first installment of the Central share for imparting satellite based training to elected representatives of Panchayats in Karnataka, in October, 2005. The balance amount would be released during the current year on receipt of Physical Progress Report and the Utilization Certificate.

ANNEX

Details of State-wise projects approved/funds released

[2004-05]

ANDHRA PRADESH

APARD, Hyderabad - PRI Trg. Dt.28/2, 23/3, 31/3,2005 Rs.3,20,00,000/- Rs.3,20,00,000/-

MAHARASHTRA

Maharashtra - Trg. to elected representatives of PRIs Rs.92,00,000/- Rs.92,00,000/-

WEST BENGAL

Trg. to elected members of PRIs Rs.2,05,96,000/- Rs.2,05,96,000/-

NAGALAND

Training of elected Panchayat Representatives Rs.2,96,000/- Rs.2,96,000/-

GRAND TOTAL Rs.6,20,92,000/- Rs.6,20,92,000/-

Details of State-wise projects approved/funds released

[2005-06]

HARYANA

Haryana Institute of Rural Development (HIRD),
Nilokheri- PRI Trg. Rs.1,28,12,000/-

State Community Dev. Trg. Centre, Nilokheri,
Haryana - Trg.of women representatives of PRIs Rs.7,50,000/- Rs.1,35,62,000/-

ANDHRA PRADESH

APARD, Hyderabad - PRI Trg. Rs.2,22,49,000/-

APARD, Hyderabad - Accounts Trg. Rs.82,15,875/- Rs.3,04,64,875/-

MAHARASHTRA

YASHADA (Maharashtra) - Trg. to elected
representatives of PRIs Rs.2,13,59,500/-

Maharashtra - Trg. to elected representatives of PRIs Rs.1,37,41,384/- Rs.3,51,00,884/-

WEST BENGAL

West Bengal - Satellite based Training Rs.2,21,25,000/- Rs.2,21,25,000/-

KARNATAKA

Karnataka - Satellite based Training Rs.1,81,97,625/- Rs.1,81,97,625/-

KERALA

Training, through KILA, to different categories of
members associated with PRIs Rs.44,00,000/- Rs.44,00,000/-

PUNJAB		
SIRD, Nabha, Punjab – Trg. to elected representatives of PRIs	Rs.86,19,500/-	Rs.86,19,500/-
ASSAM		
Assam – Capacity building of elected representatives & functionaries of PRIs	Rs.77,60,363/-	
SIRD, Guwahati – Jan Kerosene Pariyojana - Central Grant	Rs.17,00,000/-	Rs.94,60,363/-
CHHATTISGARH		
Chhattisgarh Institute of Rural Dev. – Trg. to elected representatives of PRIs	Rs.1,47,59,000/-	
Chhattisgarh Institute of Rural Dev. – Trg. and awareness programme on Panchayat Extension in Scheduled Areas in Chhattisgarh	Rs.46,91,875/-	Rs.1,94,50,875/-
UTTARANCHAL		
UIRD, Uttaranchal – Trg. to elected representatives of PRIs	Rs.1,67,74,116/-	Rs.1,67,74,116/-
GUJARAT		
GUJARAT – Capacity building for e-governance of the PRIs	Rs.2,10,00,000/-	Rs.2,10,00,000/-
GOA		
Goa – Infotech Corp. of Goa Ltd. – Goa Infogram Scheme	Rs.1,00,00,000/-	Rs.1,00,00,000/-
ARUNACHAL PRADESH		
Arunachal Pradesh – Construction of Panchayat Extn. Trg. Centres	Rs.2,00,00,000/-	Rs.2,00,00,000/-
SIKKIM		
Sikkim – Establishment of Gram Suchna Kendra	Rs.2,00,00,000/-	Rs.2,00,00,000/-
ORISSA		

SIRD, Orissa – Computerisation of GPs	Rs.1,00,00,000/-	Rs.1,00,00,000/-
GRAND TOTAL	Rs.25,91,55,238/-	Rs.25,91,55,238/-